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EQUIPMENT PROCUREMENT METHOD AND SYSTEM

45060-00006USPX Docket No.:

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- 1. Response to Notice of Missing Parts of Application;
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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed by the Application Branch on February 22, 2001, you will find enclosed a Declaration and Power of Attorney duly executed by the inventors on February 16, 2001.

A check in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed for the surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e).

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It is respectfully submitted that no additional parts are required to be filed with regard to the above-referenced application, and the application should therefore be processed accordingly.

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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